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DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE

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In the Matter of the Surrender of the Certificate of Reinsurance Accreditation of

FRANKONA AMERICAN
REINSURANCE COMPANY
(NAIC No. 18450),

Petitioner.

Docket No. 97A-006-INS

ORDER

Based upon reliable evidence provided to the Director of Insurance by the Assistant Director of the Corporate and Financial Affairs Division of the Department of Insurance, the Director finds as follows:

- 1. Petitioner, Frankona American Reinsurance Company, NAIC No. 18450, is a foreign insurer domiciled in Missouri. Petitioner received its certificate of reinsurance accreditation to transact insurance in Arizona on November 11, 1994.
- 2. Effective January 2, 1996, Petitioner, the non-surviving entity, merged into First Excess and Reinsurance Corporation ("First Excess"), the surviving entity, a foreign insurer domiciled in Missouri. Petitioner has voluntarily surrendered its certificate of reinsurance accreditation to the Director.
- 3. On October 27, 1995, the Insurance Commissioner of Missouri waived the approval process regarding the merger of Petitioner into First Excess.

4. Petitioner has no obligations under any policy of insurance to any policyholders or claimants who are residents of Arizona.

- 5. Petitioner is not the subject of any pending investigation or market conduct examination, and Petitioner does not owe this Department any filings or fees.
- 6. Petitioner has deposited \$100.00 which has been credited to the Insurance Examiners' Revolving Fund ("IERF") pursuant to A.R.S. §20-159.

IT IS ORDERED that:

- 1. The surrender of the Petitioner's certificate of reinsurance accreditation is accepted.
- 2. The \$100.00 deposited by Petitioner which has been credited to the IERF shall be released to Petitioner.

EFFECTIVE this 23 day of January, 1997.

John A. Greene

Director of Insurance

COPY of the foregoing mailed/delivered this <a>23rd day of January, 1997, to:

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